TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

HB 331 - SB 553

March 11, 2014

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Decreases, from 45 to 30 days, the time in which a court clerk is required, from the day of conviction, to send the personal information to the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation (TBI) of a person convicted of a methamphetamine offense. Authorizes court clerks to charge TBI a fee of \$15 for each copy of a judgment of a conviction related to a methamphetamine offense as detailed in Tenn. Code Ann. § 39-17-436.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Increase State Expenditures - \$19,200

Increase Local Revenue - \$19,200

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS (013403, 014157): Deletes all language after the enacting clause. Reduces the purchase quantity limits of drugs containing methamphetamine precursors. Prohibits the sale of a methamphetamine precursor to anyone under the age of 18.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENTS:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- Currently, anyone less than sixteen years of age is prohibited from buying a drug which contains a methamphetamine precursor.
- This will have no significant fiscal impact on the Department of Health or any health related board.
- This is estimated to have no significant fiscal impact on state government.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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